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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

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Dear Sir:

This is a Response to the Notification of Missing Requirements mailed 02/06/2006. Submitted herewith are:

- a Declaration executed by the inventors
- Copy of the Notice of Missing Requirements
- Check No 5169 for \$130 for the required surcharge

If any Petition is necessary for filing any of these items, please consider this as said Petition. If any additional fee or surcharge is required for this response or for filing the Declaration please charge Deposit Account 13 - 0195.

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## 371 FORMALITIES LETTER



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### NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 04/06/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 04/06/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 04/06/2005
- Copy of Annexes to the IPER filed on 04/06/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 04/06/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 08/15/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 04/06/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 04/06/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 04/06/2005

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

## SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is **\$130** for a Large Entity:

- \$130 Surcharge.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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